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Peter D. Yeager died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gertie Gurn, Thursday morning, December 5, 1890, after a short illness. Saged 76 years. The cause of his death was an attack of grip.

Mr. Yeager was born at Travellers' Rest (now Bartow) June 22, 1814. At the outbreak of the Civil War he volunteered in the Confederate army and at the skirmish around Camp Bartow he was taken prisoner and sent to Camp Chase. Later he was transferred to the prison at Rock Island, Illinois. On his return after being released from prison he found his house and all his property burned. Not a fence was left standing on the place and he stated that the situation almost made him feel as though he would have to give up. Seeing a bright future ahead of him he began life anew. Lumber was hard to get and he bought an old house at Greenbank and moved it to his place where from the lumber thus obtained he built a new house. In a few years he became one of the most prosperous farmers in the county. In the year 1857 he married Margaret Bible, a daughter of Jacob and Sallie Bible. She preceded her husband to the grave by about four years. To Mr. and Mrs. Yeager there were born six children, two sons and four daughters—Mrs. Harper McLaughlin, of Bath county, Va.; Mrs. C. E. Pritchard, of Dunmore; Mrs. Henry Fleener, deceased; Mrs. Dyer Gurn and Willie J. Yeager, of Bartow; and Charles A. Yeager, of Marlinton.

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flowed down by affording an abundance of mountain trout, and Travellers' Rest was the sportsman's paradise.

The shabby form and kind genial face of "Uncle Peter" will be recalled by many of them scattered throughout the states and they will hear of his death with sorrow.

Fifty years ago, in the days of the old Trotter back line from Staunton to Beverly, the Yeager home was one of the relays, and it was the Yeagers, Arbogasts and Burgers who then owned the dense forests of pine and oak out of which strangers have made their millions, and speculators have gone mad.

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### Prison Report.

Warden Charles E. Hadley, the West Virginia penitentiary at Moundsville, has made his report to Governor Dawson for months of November and December, as follows:

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	1,230	1,145

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Indians	1,000,000
Total	32,442,000
Net increase	1,229,000
Prison population	1,245

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More arrests.

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months of November and December, as follows:

#### RECEIVED.

State prisoners	39
U. S. prisoners	39
Total	68

#### DISCHARGED.

State prisoners, expiration of sentence	13
Parole	3
Conditional pardon	2
U. S. prisoners, expiration of sentence	3
Total	21
Net increase	25
Prison population November 1, 1,220; population December 1, 1,245.	

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#### Gave Kisses for Good Measure.

At Sandusky, Ohio, recently Justice Garley, of Milan, was relieved of the puzzling question of the relative value of Thanksgiving turkeys, chickens and kisses. When James Dalzell, a poultry dealer, pleaded guilty to an assault charge, preferred by Mrs. Esther Norton, and was fined \$10.

Mrs. Norton, who is pretty, claimed that Dalzell had

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Early in August died at the  
home of his daughter Mrs. Charles  
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him to his resting place in a church  
yard in a quiet town. The services of his  
friends and his attorney of course.

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The "obituary" form and kindred signs of "Uncle Peter" will continue for many of thousands of deceased physicians until they will bear off his death.

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is, in many ways, the best  
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11. Mayor, *unanimous*. The following looked well nominated:

For Recorder—R. H. Riems  
For Commissioners—Dr. J.  
G. J. W. Buxton, Geor-  
gian S. C. McDonald and R.  
J. Hall

This ticket will be known as the "miss" ticket. We do not know whether ticket will be ~~seen~~ there ticket in the field or not. It is reported that one of our agents was circulating a petition yesterday to get the names of the present council on the ticket, but we did not see this petition and cannot verify the report. Whether we certain whether or not the present officials are willing the job again. At the present time we have not heard that another convention will be called today.

Prison Library

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U. S. intermedius .....  
Total

State prisoners, expiration of sentences	1,000
Parole	1,000
Conditional pardon	1,000
U. S. prisoners, expiration of sentences	1,000
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